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In re application of:

Frank Cistone, Jin Choi

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For: MELT PROCESSABLE PERFLUOROPOLYMER FORMS

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

- 1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of four months to file an appeal brief or take other action.
- 2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith. The response is the filing of a continuation application.
- 3. Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.27.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(a) and 1.10*

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4. Calculation of extension fee $(37 \text{ C.F.R. } \S 1.17(a)(1)-(5))$:

Extension (months)

Fee for small entity

four months

\$795.00

Fee:

\$795.00

5. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

Extension fee due with this request

\$795.00

6. Extended period for response

Based on the extension requested in this petition, the extended period for response will expire on February 27, 2006.

7. Fee Payment

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$795.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-1943.

A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

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